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Applicant respectfully requests a written status report of his above-identified patent application. Applicant submitted a Status Request dated June 20, 2005 and has not yet received a response to that request. This request is being made because the application was filed on December 19, 2003 and, to date, no action has been received.

Therefore, applicant respectfully requests the Examiner to inform the undersigned if an action may be expected soon, and if so, an approximate date.

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